

## Message Text

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S E C R E T BOGOTA 2125

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MMOL, CO, PN  
SUBJECT: BIOLOGICAL WARFARE REPORT

REF: STATE 048881

1. SINCE DEPT BELIEVES THERE IS STRONG POSSIBILITY THAT  
INFORMATION ON THE TESTING IN COLOMBIA AND CANAL ZONE WILL  
BE LEAKED, WE FEEL WE SHOULD ALERT THE GOC TO IMPENDING ARMY  
RELEASE AND SHARE INFORMATION IN REFTEL CONCERNING TESTING  
HERE. IN THIS CONNECTION, IT WOULD OF COURSE BE VERY HELPFUL  
TO KNOW WHETHER THERE IS ANY EVIDENCE OR RECORD IN WASHINGTON  
THAT GOC DID KNOW OF 1962 TEST.

2. WE HAVE NO PROBLEM WITH TENTATIVE PRESS GUIDANCE SET FORTH  
IN PARA 9 REFTEL.  
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